

PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

YASUDA et al.

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For: SENSOR ELEMENT AND  
METHOD OF  
FABRICATING  
THEREOF

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**IN THE DRAWINGS**

The Examiner is requested to approve the changes to Figures 3A and 4A as indicated in the attached Request for Approval of Drawing Amendment.